

Expressive Arts

At Woodend Farm school our Expressive Art lessons aim to inspire pupils and develop their confidence to experiment and invent their own works of art. The lessons are designed to give pupils every opportunity to develop their ability, nurture their talent and interests, express their ideas and thoughts about the world, as well as learning about art and artists across cultures and through history. Our curriculum supports pupils to meet the National curriculum attainment targets.

Over a series of lessons pupils will be:

- Generating ideas
- Using sketchbooks
- Making skills, including formal elements (line, shape, tone, texture, pattern, colour)
- Widening their knowledge of artists
- Evaluating and analysing

Our lesson plans are sequential, allowing children to build their skills and knowledge, applying them to a range of outcomes. Key skills are revisited again and again with increasing complexity. This allows pupils to revise and build on their previous learning. The pupils' learning will incorporate drawing, painting and mixed-media, sculpture and 3D art and craft and design.



| | Autumn 1 Mosaic art | Autumn 2 Painting and mixed media | Spring 1 Drawing skills | Spring 2 Sculpture and 3D | Summer 1 Craft and design | Summer 2 DT projects |
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| Beech | Elmer's elephant collages | Colour splash | Line styles drawing make your mark | Paper play | Woven wonders | Toy puppets. Joining materials for a purpose. |
| Ash | Elmer collages | Life in colour | Drawing to tell a story | Clay houses. | Map it out | Joining materials sewing skills puppet design |
| Willow | collage joining materials story to inspire sun catchers | Prehistoric painting | Growing artists | Abstract shape and space | DT project puppet and theatre design using circuits | Craft and design Ancient Egyptian scrolls. |
| Oak | Body art | Painting and mixed media – light and dark | Power prints | Mega materials | Fabric of nature | Mechanics and circuits. |